

MEETING NOTICE

This season's series of lectures will begin on an exotic note, and yet will be relevant to our Chapter field trip. Dr. Michael Spence of the University of Western Ontario, Department of Anthropology, will present a slide illustrated '*Introduction to the Archaeology of Teotihuacan*'. Dr. Spence's continuing involvement in the excavation and mapping of this extensive pre-Columbian Mexican city will ensure an interesting and informative evening. It is possible that some of the monumental earth architecture (i.e. temple mounds) which you can witness in Ohio may have been stimulated by the Mesoamerican architectural practices which will be illustrated in the September 8 talk. Our meeting will be held as usual in Rm. 344, Talbot College, University of Western Ontario.

OHIO ARCHAEOLOGICAL TOUR

OCTOBER 21-23, 1977

The possibility of this tour has been discussed for some time by your executive and has been mentioned previously in KEWA. After considerable planning and consultation with Ohio groups, Norah McWilliam has presented us with the following proposed agenda. While trying to provide exposure to as wide a variety of famous archaeological sites as possible, we have been forced to restrict the tour to five stops due to time constraints.

The proposed cost of \$55.00 per person would include transportation on a large modern tour bus, two nights motel accommodation, and entry fees to all parks and museums. In order to obtain discount motel rates, we must place our reservations shortly. CONSEQUENTLY, WE MUST HAVE A DEFINITE COMMITMENT FROM 47 PEOPLE BY THE SEPTEMBER 8 MEETING, OR WE WILL HAVE TO CANCEL THE TRIP. We realize that this is short notice; however, the arrangements took more time to finalize than we had expected.

TOUR AGENDA

Friday, October 21	5:00 P.M.	Leave London
	7:00 P.M.	Pick up members in Windsor
	8:00 P.M.	Pick up members in Toledo
	12:00	Arrive in Dayton at Quality Inn/Red Horse
Saturday, October 22	9:00 A.M.	Breakfast and leave Dayton
	10:00 A.M.	Arrive Fort Ancient
	12:00 A.M.	Leave Fort Ancient
		Lunch en route
	2:00 P.M.	Arrive Serpent Mound
	3:00 P.M.	Leave Serpent Mound
	4:00 P.M.	Arrive in Chillicothe and check into the Holiday Inn

Sunday, October 23	9:00 A.M.	Arrive Mound City National Monument
	10:00 A.M.	Leave Mound City National Monument
	11:30 A.M.	Arrive Flint Ridge
	1:30 P.M.	Leave Flint Ridge
		Lunch in Newark
	3:00 P.M.	Arrive Newark Museum
	4:30 P.M.	Leave Newark Museum and travel back to London

While \$55.00 may seem a little expensive, we can assure you that you will be getting good value for your money, and that \$55.00 will be the maximum cost for the tour. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Bill Fox at (519) 433-8401 or 673-0966. Remember, registration and fees must be in by September 8!

EXECUTIVE REPORT

During the August 1 meeting in Aylmer, Norah presented her latest information on the Ohio tour and a decision was made concerning destination points. It was agreed to proceed with the final arrangements.

SOCIAL NOTE

The Chapter picnic on July 16th was attended by a small but enthusiastic group, who enjoyed a tour of the Ska-nah-doht village reconstruction and the display of flint knapping presented by the Lower Thames Valley Conservation Authority. Our thanks to Arlene! Despite grey and threatening skies, a satisfying meal of good food and fine beverage was enjoyed by the group. The performance of our master chef, Bob Calvert, was most appreciated.

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Those wishing to set up posters displaying some facet of their Ontario research will be allotted space in the foyer outside of the Essex Room of the Four Seasons Sheraton Hotel between 5:30 and 7:00 P.M. Easels will be provided, and Dr. Jock McAndrews will be present to assist in setting up displays. Poster boards should have a maximum size of 3 by 5 feet and should include a title, some text and a range of photographs and/or graphics. So, if you wish to communicate your findings and have a chance to discuss your work with a wide range of people - this is your chance!

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CONTRIBUTIONS TO KEWA

Once again we are requesting material from our readership for the newsletter. Comments and articles on topics of archaeological interest need not be long. Anyone wishing to contribute written or graphic material should contact the KEWA editor (Bill Fox) at 55 Centre Street, London, Ontario N6J 1T4 or telephone 433-8401.